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IN RE APPLICATION OF: Torahiko Hayashi, et al.	ATTY DKT NO. P-123374.06
SERIAL NO. 10/654,553	GROUP NO.: 1761
FILED: September 3, 2003	EXAMINER: Adam C. Myers
TITLE: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR BEATING AND ROLLING A FOOD DOUGH BELT	
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RESPONSE TO ADVISORY ACTION

In the Examiner's Advisory Action mailed August 18, 2006, the Examiner stated that the proposed amendments raised the issue of new matter. No new matter was added in the previously submitted Amendment and Response.

Independent Claims 1 and 7 were amended to specifically include elements not found in any single reference and which would not be obvious to combine from other references. Support for the endless orbit element may be found at page 4, lines 8-10, and page 5, lines 19-21. Movement upstream and downstream finds support at page 6, lines 24-26; page 8, lines 9-11; while control of the various motors is described at page 10, line 30 – page 12, line 1.

Again, no new matter was added.

Respectfully submitted,

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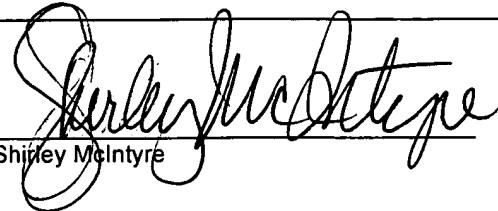
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